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HOUSEHOLD ECONOMICS

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AMBLER HOUSE—Household Economics Practice House.



The Living Room of the Ambler House.

The Ambler House

THIS is a beautiful home presented to Hillsdale College by Judge Ambler of Cleveland to be used as a Domestic Science practice house.

It is situated on Hillsdale Street, a block from the campus. The beauty of the building is increased by its spacious grounds. The Ambler House is regarded as the social center of many college activities.

Seniors and Juniors specializing in Household Economics live here one-half year to obtain credit in Household Management. Supervised by the science and art instructors, they get actual experience in marketing, keeping accounts of all expenditures and planning menus for the household. In short, these young women acquire the art of home making as well as that of teaching.



The Kitchen of the Ambler House.

THE kitchen is used for preparing the meals for the house as well as serving as a unit kitchen for class work. It is well equipped with modern conveniences. The girls have the privilege of using the laundry, as well as the facilities for cooking.

The effect of the room is pleasing with soft tones of gray and white enamel woodwork.

THE course in Household Economics not only prepares students in the science and art of home making and the profession of teaching, but also opens the way to many branches related to these fields: dietitian, institutional manager, cafeteria director, social or extension worker, expert buyer for merchants, interior decorator, designer, or director of educational work now being taken up by large commercial houses.

The amount of literary work and the wide range of electives gives a broader and more general training than many of the more technical schools.

Those majoring in this department are required to have 15 hours of Chemistry as a minor and 25 hours of Home Economics. The degree of B.A. or B.S. is awarded at the completion of four years of work according to the group of studies in which the majority of electives have been chosen. The general requirements, fees and explanations of courses are given in the catalog.

OUTLINE OF COURSES FOR MAJOR IN THE HOUSEHOLD ECONOMICS COURSE

Freshman Year

	First Semester		Second Semester	
Chemistry	5	Chemistry	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	5
Sophomore Year				
Chemistry	7 5	HE. 2 a.	Cookery	2
	Cookery 3	b.	Sewing and Textiles	3
b.	Sewing 2			
Junior Year				
HE. 1 a.	Science of Foods 3	HE. 4 a.	Dietetics	2
b.	Dressmaking 2	b.	Costume Design	3
Senior Year				
HE. 5 a.	Dietetics*3	HE. 6 a.	Cookery*	2
b.	Millinery*2	b.	House Decoration*	3
c.	House Management 2	c.	Education*	2

The * courses are elective.

For further information consult the Hillsdale College catalog or address either Miss Marjorie Black, Director of Household Science, or Miss Ada Tucker, Director of Household Arts, Hillsdale College.



The Cooking Laboratory.

Description of Cooking Laboratory

THE Cooking Laboratory is in the house adjoining the kitchen, which is in charge of the House Cook, and all of the foods prepared in the laboratory are served at the meals.

In the fall extensive work is given in fruit and vegetable canning, thus providing supplies which are kept in the fruit cellar for use during the winter.

Practical experience is gained in planning and managing banquets serving from ten to fifty guests. This gives the students an opportunity to buy and prepare food in large quantities, as well as to organize such work in a systematic manner.



The Sewing Laboratory in Fine Arts Hall.

Description of Sewing Laboratory

THE domestic art laboratory is on the second floor of the Fine Arts Hall. It is also used for work in Applied Art. Many north windows give an even light and there is ample locker room for the students' equipment.

The work in the various courses is correlated as much as possible. For example, the girls may plan dresses in their costume design classes and make them in their sewing classes.

The sections are not so large as to crowd the room or prevent individual help.

Those specializing in other departments may elect any of the domestic art courses and receive full collegiate credit.



Class of 1924 in Home Economics





To Prospective Students



T is very important that your credentials should be in the hands of the college early in the summer.

Students will not be enrolled in their classes unless their entrance credits or certificates of transfer from other institutions and letters of honorable dismissal are in the hands of the college.

All communications concerning entrance, course of study, and the like will reach the proper person if addressed to

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